



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Cern
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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Applicant is submitting the present document concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in response to an Office Action dated March 6, 2007 (hereinafter "the Office Action") for the above-noted application. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.